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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA

ALPHONSE L. REDDICKS,

Plaintiff,

Case No. C04-5714RJB

v.

PACIFIC MARITIME ASSOCIATION

Defendant.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

This matter comes before the court on review of the file.

On November 18, 2004, the court issued a Minute Order Regarding Initial Div

On November 18, 2004, the court issued a Minute Order Regarding Initial Disclosures, Joint Status Report, and Early Settlement. Dkt. 7. In that order, the court directed that the parties file a Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan not later than February 16, 2005. *Id.* The court further directed that plaintiff's counsel serve copies of the minute order on all parties who appeared after the order was filed. *Id.* The court directed that plaintiff's counsel would be responsible for starting the communications needed to comply with the minute order. *Id.*

The due date for the Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan has been extended numerous times, most recently to June 24, 2005. On August 1, 2005, the court dismissed portions of the claims in this case, but allowed "[t]he Title VII claim against Pacific Maritime Association [to] proceed." Dkt. 25

A Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan has not been filed in this case, nor have the parties requested an extension of time. It is plaintiff's responsibility to initiate communications needed to

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comply with the court's orders requiring a Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan, and plaintiff has not shown that he has done so. The court should accordingly dismiss this case without prejudice under Local Rule GR3 unless a Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan is filed forthwith.

Therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED that, not later than **August 18, 2005**, the parties shall file a Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan, as required by Fed.R.Civ.P. 26(f) and Local Rule CR 16. If the Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan is not timely filed, the court will dismiss this case without prejudice.

The Clerk is directed to send uncertified copies of this Order to all counsel of record and to any party appearing *pro se* at said party's last known address.

DATED this 4th day of August 2005.

Robert J. Bryan

United States District Judge